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of the stock of a customer of his, who had failed. has fairly aroused womankind here in Indianapolis to the fever heat of enthusiasm.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Grand-"Jane." An exceptionally small audience greated the reproduction of "Jane" last night. The company is a fairly good one. The plot of the play is familiar to Indianapolis theater goers, yet it may be well to reproduce it in brief. The humor of the situations hinge on the attempt of Jane to carry out the character of the pretended wife of Charles Shackleton, who has to find a helpmeet in order to deceive an uncle who believes the nephew is married. It is hard to compare Miss Minerva Dorr's rendition of Jane with that of Johnstone Bennett, as their work is entirely unlike. Miss Dorr has not followed the "business" of her predecessor, but has in her own way succeeded in presenting the character of the housemaid elevated to a higher life, with its assumptions of the manners of the aristocracy and the inevitable lapses into the mannerisms of below stairs, with commendable skill. The William of Mr. Augusins Balfour was done with sufficient and satisfactory ability. The other characters of the play were well sustained, the part of Mr. Fred Mower, as Mr. Kershaw, the rich uncle, being acceptably done. The performance was preceded by a very pretty curtain raiser, entitled, "The Lost Sheep," by Sædley Brown and Frank Norcross, which is in Denman Thompson's style. "Jane" remains for two more nights and a matinee. "Jane" is cast as follows: to compare Miss Minerva Dorr's rendition Charles Shackleton ..... Frank Norcross Kershaw......Fred Mower
William......Augustus Balfour
Claude......Frankie Gordon

Claude Frankie Gordon
Pixton Frank Frayne
Lucy Norton Berenice Sancton
Chadwick, her maiden aunt Grace Huyck
Mrs. Pixton Lutle Page Mower
Jane Minerva Dorr

engagement to a good-sized and enthusiastic audience at English's last night. The kidnaping of a child by Jack Forsett (Frederick Bryton) who holds her for a ransom, is the basis of the plot, into which are woven numerous sensational incidents, several of which have no apparent connection with the story. One of the latter is the "green-goods" scene in which the modus operandi of that class of swindlers is shown and which concludes with a representation of the well-remembered Jim Holland tragedy. Holland was a Texan,

who went to New York to beat the greengoods game and succeeded in doing so, and
also in killing the operator.

The most entertaining portion of the piece
is the last act, which shows Tom Gould's
notorious "Sans Souci" saloon as it flourished some years ago in New York. In this
scene John Page introduces an acrobatic
song and dance that is a "gem" in its way.
Page plays the part of a newshow "Car-Page plays the part of a newsboy, "Carrotts," and is an active little man, who does some astonishing gyrations which catch the audience. His act is more than clever. James B. Radcliffe is quite entertaining in his songs, and there are other specialties. Frederick Bryton has the villain's part and does it full justice in his forceful style. His work is always strong and impressive in whatever character he

"In the Tenderloin" will be seen again to night and to-morrow matinee and night. The cast is as follows: Jack Forsett......Frederick Bryton

Harvey Vinton......Mr. W. Cummings Carrotts, a newsboy......Mr. John Page Dick Dorlan.....Mr. James Wall Hungry Joe. Mr. Jack Palmer
Pincher Mr. Dick Quilter
Jim Holland Mr. Edwin Browne
John Hill Mr. J. B. Edwards
John Daly Mr. E. T. Malloy
Richard Dorlan, sr. Mr. T. W. Thompson Ex-Capt. Tinger......Mr. J. H. Singleton

Park-"Lost In New York." Leonard Grover's popular melodrama, "Lost in New York," has lost none of its drawing powers. It filled the Park twice yesterday, and was received with every demonstration of joy. "Lost in New York" is one of the best plays visiting the Park, and is always well put on by a strong company. If anything the company is, this season, better than ever, and the play is admirably mounted. A river of real water sixty feet long, forty feet wide and four feet deep, containing 60,000 gallons of water, a full-rigged yacht, rowboats, ferries and a genuine, practical steamboat that runs at the rate of fifteen miles an hour, crossing and recrossing the stage under a crossing and recrossing the stage under full head of steam, are among the realistic features of the production. Incidental to the play Lillie Sinclair and others introduce several new specialties. Miss Sinclair is a very clever soubrette and a great favorite with the Park's audiences. She was a member of Frederick Paulding's company two years ago. On Thursday the Park has another strong attraction in George W. Monroe and his company, playing "My

Empire Specialty Company. That Manager Fennessy is a good judge of variety talent appears from his show at the Empire this week. The performance opens with the conglomerate act of Mc-Grath and Booth, in skillful clog dancing and contortionist feats far above the average. Lottle West Symonds, in Irish songs, was recalled twice. Bernard Dyllyn, baritone singer, has a remarkable voice; too powerful, in fact, for any theater of ordinary size. Several of his songs are new here. The Gehrue sisters give a novel new here. The Gehrue sisters give a novel exhibition of dancing. Mr. Charles Carter, assisted by Miss Corinne Carter, furnishes a pretty exhibition of legerdemain. Marrion and Pearl do a black-face dialogue act. rion and Pearl do a black-face dialogue act, interspersed with acrobatics, which has the merit of containing many bright and new bits of humor in the dialogue. A better act in its way than that of Judge Brothers in ground tumbling is seldom seen. The lightest of the pair weighs fully 170 pounds, but is handled by his brother with remarkable case, one of the acts better the turning of a double somersault by one brother from the hands of the other. The afterpiece, entitled "Senator McFee," has the unusual merit of being funny. Friday night is amateur night, for which occasion aspiring local geniuses to the number of fifteen have already promised

Richard Mansfield III. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 28.-Richard Mansfield, who was billed to appear at the the Capitol Theater to-night in "Dr. Jekyl and Mr. Hyde," was forced to cancel the engagement on account of filness. The actor contracted a cold at Dallas, which has developed into ulcerated sore throat.

Troupe of Dancers Arrested. LEADVILLE, Col., Jan. 28.-The Belle Boyas troupe of dancers was arrested this morning, charged with giving an obscene on ask for it.

No menu is complete without Cook's Extra Dry Imperial Champagne on it. If not on ask for it.

exhibition at the opera house last night. The troupe is from the Midway Theater in San Francisco and is the one that created such a sensation in Chicago. A number of ladles at the performance last night left the theater on account of its alleged indecency. The "Danse du Ventre" was the obnoxious feature.

Theater Seized for Rent. CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 28.-Mr. C. H. Bulkeley went, to-day, to H. R. Jacobs's Cleveland Theater, on St. Clair street, which he owns, and demanded the arrearage of rent, which amounts to a considerable sum. J. D. Burns, Mr. Jacobs's local manager, could not pay it, and Mr. Bulkeley took possession, giving Mr. Burns a temporary verbal lease. The theater is comparatively new and handsomely furnished.

Notes of the Stage. The New York company presenting Ed-win Milton Royle's successful play, "Friends," is announced to appear here again at the Grand next Friday and Sat-

The revival of "The Black Crook" Boston and New York two years ago, and the immense success attending its renalssance, gave that sterling legendary spectacle its start upon a fresh career of success. It is the Nestor of spectacles, and as a basis for brilliant effects in scenery, costumes, lights and transformations it has never had an equal among its many successors. It will be produced at English's Opera House the last half of this week.

PERSONAL AND SOCIETY.

Mrs. Juliette I. Herriott is visiting in Chi-The Musical Club will meet to-morrow norning with Mrs. I. Newton Todd. Mrs. R. B. F. Peirce has returned from Kenosha, where she has been for several

A reception will be given in the parlors of the First Presbyterian Church Friday Mrs. D. P. Erwin and daughter Helen will Europe the 16th of February by La Burgoyne.

Mrs. Charles S. Millard and daughter have gone to the Bermudas to remain till Mrs. Frank Churchman has gone to Pittsourg to visit her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Turner, and family,

Mr. George Kittridge, of Chicago, who spent Sunday with friends in this city, reurned home yesterday. Miss Louise Irwin, of Cincinnati, is the guest of Mrs. and Miss Newcomer, on North Pennsylvania street.

Warden and Mrs. French, of Michigan City, will come, to-morrow, to visit Gov-ernor and Mrs. Claude Matthews. Miss Daisy Powell, of St. Louis, who has been the guest of Mrs. W. H. Coleman for some time, returned home Saturday. Miss Angeline Moon, of Eau Claire, Wis., will come, next week, to visit Miss Charotte Ransdall, on North Alabama street. Mrs. T. H. B. McCain, of Crawfordsville, will come, to-day, to make a short visit to Mrs. Judson Smith, No. 139 West Michigan

The members of the Deutsche Haus will give a dance the evening of the 22d of February, in observance of Washington's birthday anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Young, of Morton Place,

Mr. and Mrs. Young, of Morton Place, entertained the congregation of the Fourth Presbyterian Church, last evening, in honor of Mrs. George New. There was a large attendance of members and friends. During the evening Mrs. New was presented with a purse. Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Woollen's his-

Unglish's—"In the Tenderloin."

There is an interesting plot to "In the Tenderloin," which opened a half week's engagement to a good-sized and enthusi-The ladies of the Fourth Presbyterian

Church have issued invitations for a birth-day party at the church parlors, corner of Delaware and Ninth streets, to-morrow evening. Hon. W. P. Fishback will read his paper on "Village Life Fifty Years Ago," which he read at the Indianapolis Literary Club early in the season.

Among the engagements for the Propyaeum for the next four weeks are th Dramatic Club rehearsal and play to-night and to-morrow night; the new Arlington Club and the Woman's Club, Friday; the Club and the Woman's Club, Friday; the wedding anniversary party by Mr. and Mrs. Van Winkle, Feb. 4; the Local Council meeting, the 5th; the Matinee Musicale, the 6th; the Aniwa Club dance, the 7th; a reception by the Century Club to F. Hopkinson Smith, the artist and author, the 12th; the College of Music recital, the evening of the 12th; the Sons of St. George reception and entertainment, the 13th; a valentine reception by Mrs. Henry Jameson, the 14th; the Women's Club breakfast and anniversary celebration, the 15th, and the Mary Washington Association party, the evening of the 22d.

Mrs. Jason Carey and daughter, Miss Carey, gave a dance, last evening, at the Propylaeum. The spacious hall of the buildng was appropriated for the dance to the music of an orchestra. The guests were received by Mrs. Carey, who wore a hand-some black satin gown with lace and by Miss Carey, in a dainty frock of white satin and chiffon. She carried violets. The room was elaborately decorated with palms and pink azaleas, the prevailing colors ap-pearing in nearly all of the appointments. The mantels, windows and the platform The mantels, windows and the platform were all charmingly arranged for the party and cozy corners added to the general cheerfulness of the room. Mrs. Carey was assisted by Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Wasson, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Mayer and Mr. and Mrs. William Scott, and Miss Carey by Miss Bybee and the Misses Elizabeth and Augusta Lyon. Miss Bybee wore a beautiful imported gown of light blue silk, trimmed with embroidered blue chiffon. Miss Elizabeth Lyon wore a Dresden gown of light silk with flowered pattern, and Miss Elizabeth Lyon wore a Dresden gown of light silk with flowered pattern, and Miss Augusta Lyon a Paris gown of white hand-embroidered muil, which she wore over white satin, Each of the young ladies carried rare flowers. The dance was only for young people and there were about 150 present. Many lovely dresses were worn and the scene was a gay one till a late hour. Among the visitors from out of town were Miss Van Voorhis, of Boston: Miss Von Starkloff, of St. Louis, and Miss Mitch-Von Starkloff, of St. Louis, and Miss Mitchell, of Goshen.

AMERICUS CLUB MINSTRELS. The third annual Americus Club minstrels were given last evening at the club house. Americus Club give a minstrel performance, and it is the jolliest entertainment of the whole course. The talent is not confined to the masculine part of the membership, for the wives, sisters and sweethearts appear in both opening and olio. All the funny things done in the club are saved as features for the comedian to accentuate at the minstrel performance, and the members have a series of laughs that continue from the rise to the fall of the curtain. The hall of the club house, on North Alabama street, was arranged last night as a theater, and the audience and members enjoyed the programme, which was as follows:
Interlocutor, Mr. Bert Feibeiman; bones,
Messrs. Ike Kantrowitz and Hart Kiser;
tambos, Simon Kiser and Saul Munter;
opening chorus, "Mamie, Come Kiss Your Honey Boy," company; songs, "Coons Are All a Dreaming," Ike Kantrowitz; "Dollie," Mrs. Ben Kohn; "Living Pictures," Saul Munter; "Linger Longer, Lucy," Ralph Bamberger; "The Husbands," Miss Emma Messing; "Sweetheart Nell," words and music composed by Mr. Bert Felbelman; grand finale, Miss Essie Messing and company. The orchestra played an overture and introduced the olio "Mammy's Little Alabama Coon," the sisters Messing: Alabama Coon," the sisters Messing;
"Three Musical Mokes," Hart Kiser, Saul
"Three Musical Ranno Gundelfinger; "Not a "Three Musical Mokes," Hart Kiser, Saul Munter and Benno Gundelfinger; "Not a Comedian, but Rather Funny," Mr. Bert Feibelman; song and dance, "The Flower Serenade," Mrs. Ben Kohn, Miss Cella Graumann, Misses Essie and Emma Messing; "The Bowery Ball," by the company. Mrs. Simon Kiser was the musical director, Mr. Bert Feibelman the stage director and Mr. Jakie Solomon the property man.

Meall Mission MEETING. The regular meeting of the McAll Mission Society was held yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. John Oxenford, on North Pennsylvania street. In the absence of Rev. G. A. Carstensen, of St. Paul's Church, Mr. W. C. Castle, of the same parish, spoke of the good results of the mission work in France, and particularly in Paris. Mrs. F. M. McCrea read a letter from Mrs. Thurber, of Paris, whose husband was here in the interest of the mission. sion a few months ago. Mrs. R. O. Hawkins read an interesting communication re-garding Miss Annie Beard, who went to garding Miss Afinle Beard, who went to Paris and commenced the first work of the kindergarten in the mission work. During the afternoon Miss Eunice Jameson played a violin solo. The next meeting of the mission will be the annual one, and will be held the second Monday in March, in the Memorial Church.

LEMMINGTON-PALMER. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MUNCIE, Ind., Jan. 28.-Wade Lemmington, a lumber merchant, of St. Joseph, Ill., and Miss Marie L. Palmer were mar-

ried, to-day, at the home of the bride's sis-ter, Miss Lucy Palmer, The couple left for Chicago.

#### DEATH OF A SENATOR

JOHN D. THAYER, OF WARSAW DIS-TRICT, EXPIRES AT HIS HOME.

Senate Adjourns-Important Bills Introduced in the House-Several Measures Are Passed.

A telegram received yesterday morning by Senator McManus brought the tidings of the death of John D. Thayer, Senator from the counties of Kosciusko and Wabash, Senator Newby, president pro tem., called the Senate to order at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon and Senator McManus being recognized announced the intelligence that he had received. With it he submitted the following resolution:

"Whereas the members of the Senate have heard with great sorrow of the death of our co-laborer, Senator John D. Thayer, therefore be it "Resolved, That the Chair appoint a com-mittee of four to attend his funeral and to prepare suitable resolutions concerning the nise of our beloved fellow-Senator, and that this Senate do now adjourn."

The resolution was adopted, and Senators McManus, Boord, McDonald and McHugh were appointed to compose the committee to attend the funeral. Senator Thayer's death was the result of an attack of paralysis, or rather the result of several attacks. He was nominated for Senator in 1892 and made an active canvass of his district. A few days before the election, while addressing a large audience, he was stricken down, and for several days his life was despaired of. He recovered sufficiently to attend the session of two years ago, but never completely regained his health. At the beginning of the present session he came to Indianapolis, but shortly after his arrival he sustained another stroke, and from that time until his removal to Warsaw two weeks ago, he was confined to his room at the Denison Hotel. After his removal to his home the reports of his condition that came were uniformly discouraging, and the announcement of his death was not unex-

John D. Thayer was a native of Ohio, and was about sixty-five years of age. He was extensively interested as a buyer and shipper of grain and was part owner in a number of elevators located on the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne & Chicago railroad. He was a man of fine business qualifications and was a safe, conservative and valued member of the branch of the General Assembly to which he had been elected. He leaves a widow and four children. The funeral services will be held at Warsaw tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. After the adoption of the resolution above the Senate adjourned until this morning at

IN THE HOUSE.

10 o'clock.

#### Bill Changing Jury System Killed-

Important New Measures. There was no roll call when the House convened at 2 o'clock yesterday, the Speaker probably having a dread of a lack of quorum. It was not until 10:30 that a quorum was obtained in the morning, and then on a reoslution the House adjourned until 2 o'clock out of respect to the memory of Senator Thayer, whose death had become generally known. A few minutes after the afternoon session began there were sufficient arrivals to assure a quorum.

The Speaker took up Senate bills that were on his desk in order to expedite busithe salary of Marion county's coroner at \$3,000, was handed to the committee on affairs of the city of Indianapolis. Bill No. 6, concerning Senate employes, went to the judiciary committee; bill No. 11, compelling street-railroad companies to provide vestibules on street-car lines was referred libel bill went to the judiciary committee, The Senate also sent in Bill 38 concerning sheriff's sales, and No. 120 prohibiting the opening of roads or streets through Crown

Hill Cemetery. After referring these Senate bills the Speaker announced the third reading of bills. Mr. Stotsenburg's measure proposing a revolution in the criminal law of the State precipitated a debate in which there was a general participation. The bill gives a jury the right of determining only the guilt or innocence of a prisoner, relegating to the judge the fixing of the punishment. Mr. Robinson, chairman of the judiciary committee, stated that there were some objections to the bill, which his committee reported favorably. An old rule of law, in vogue since the founding of the State courts, would be changed. The committee was not quite certain that the measure would not abolish capital punishment, as it provided the judge should fix the fine and imprisonment. Mr. Stotsenburg, the author of the bill, thought Mr. Robinson was in error about the capital punishment feature. He moved to postpone consideration of the bill till to-morrow morning. Mr. Allison, of Brown, called attention to the federal bill of rights approximately the belief that make of rights, expressing the belief that such a law would be in conflict. Mr. Stutesman thought it was singular that the judiciary committee should recommend a bill and then seek to have it killed, Mr. Robinson having moved to strike out the enacting clause. Mr. Cardwill, of the committee, explained that there was not a unanimous sentiment respecting the bill, although the committee reported favorably for the purpose of having the House discuss the question. It was not the purpose of the committee to smother bills that contained meritorious features. Mr. Howe, of Mor gan, cited historical instances to show that the right of jury trial, with punishment, it

any, administered by twelve good men and true, was not to be gainsaid. Mr. Holloway believed the bill impeached the intellectual integrity of the jury sys-tem and indicated a lack of confidence in twelve men meting out punishment. It was drawing an inconsistent line. If twelv men were to be trusted with determining weave around a case, they should certain ly be trusted with fixing the punishment or else, the entire jury system was radically wrong. Mr. Lambert, of St. Joseph, sup-ported the measure. Mr. Stotsenberg, in closing, advanced the opinion that there was nothing in the bill to interfere with capital punishment. The motion to postpone until to-morrow morning was lost. The author then asked that the judiciary committee consider an amendment making it plain that capital punishment was not to be abolished, but the House voted this suggestion down. A vote was then taken directly on the passage of the bill and it was lost, 8 voting for it and 68 against.

House bill No. 11 was taken up. It was introduced by Mr. Griffin, and requires relived companies. railroad companies to maintain separate waiting rooms and water closets at all stations where there are over one idred inhabitants. Mr. Allen, when the came up for passage, voted against it, explaining that the railroad committee had another bill, which he thought was a bet-

one. The bill was passed; yeas, 60; nays, 14. Mr. Holloway's tobacco warehouse bill permitting the organization and incorporation of companies desiring to deal in and store tobacco, was passed. Mr. Holloway explained that the effect of the bill would be largely local, the statute now covering the incorporation of these companies not being broad enough, only permitting companies to store tobacco in warehouses, and not sell it. The vote on the passage of the bill was: Yeas, 71; nays, 7. After having passed these few bills the House decided to change the order of business and devote time to the introduction of new bills. The following are the bills Remy, of Bartholomew: To amend the turnpike act; making county commissioners free turnpike commissioners and appointing

three directors for different districts.

McGeath, of Blackford: Providing for inebriate asylums. County commissioners to expend not more than \$2,000.

Allison, of Brown and Monroe: Concern-Allison, of Brown and Monroe: Concerning publication of settlement of treasurers, tax delinquencies, etc., such to be printed in two newspapers of different political faith, if they exist in the county.

Stutesman, of Miami: Defining minority parties; permitting Prohibitionists and Populists to have watchers during the printing of ballots and at the polls; concerning proceedings in guardianship cases. Floyd, of Clinton: Relating to special sessions of county commissioners.

Allen, of Davis: Bill concerning taxation. sions of county commissioners.

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Board of Tax Commissioners in their last report; repealing a section of the drainage act; prohibiting the circulation of due bills and other evidences of indebtedness in payment for merchandise or labor.

Willis, of DeKalb: Enlarging the powers of trustees of incorporated towns; regulating peddlers; shortening the time for recording deeds and mortgages.

McIntosh, of Wayne: Amending the school law; providing for the election of county superintendents; requiring township trustees to provide for enumeration.

Cooley, of Franklin: Regulating the tax-

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Robinson, of Gibson: Abolishing days of grace; permitting juries to render special or general verdicts, and requiring them to render special verdicts on points when requested by either party to a sult.

Booker, of Greene: Amending act concerning free gravel roads.

Spitler, of Jasper: Amending the drainage law and providing for appointment of viewers

Merritt, of Lagrange: Creating a labor commission, to be composed of two elec-tors and Circuit judge, to investigate the cause of labor troubles and suggest reme-dies to provide against future occurrences. Mr. Merritt's motion that two hundred Mr. Merritt's motion that two hundred copies of the bill be printed and placed on members' desks was carried. Merritt, of Lagrange: Amending the mechanic's lien act; compelling persons de-siring liens to file notice with the county recorder within ninety days; providing for the grading of all streets in incorporated cities and towns.

McGregor, of Marion: Prohibiting the cutting or felling of trees across public highways; regulating the practice of dentistry and creating a commission to examine applicants.

Van Arsdel, of Marion-Regulating the raising and lowering of berths in sleeping cars, making it the duty of porters to raise upper berths when requested by occupants of lower berths, provided upper berths are not occupied; creating a fund from dog taxes to be used in paying for sheep and stock killed by dogs. Confining the number taxes to be used in paying for sheep and stock killed by dogs; confining the number of justices of peace in Center township to three. Last bill referred to committee on affairs of city of Indianapolis.

Leedy, of Marion—To prevent deception in sale of baking powder, requiring "cream of tartar" to be stamped on baking powder containing that ingredient; creating a Probate Court in Marion county.

Boardman, of Marion—Prohibiting establishment of wine rooms.

McCrea, of Montgomery—Permitting county commissioners to make appropriations

ty commissioners to make appropriations for special road improvements. Adams, of Parke-Providing for the ap-pointment and removal of road supervisors making public outlaws of those who, wanted for murder or attempting to kill, shall seek to evade arrest by force, and providing for proclamation by the Governor and publishing in newspapers.

Coates, of Pike—Creating two election boards in each county.

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Williams, of Posey—Appropriating \$6,000 for placing a bust of the late Gov. Alvin P. Hovey in the Statehouse.

Stakebake, of Randolph—Civil actions to be prosecuted by real parties in interest.

Thomas, of Rush—Resolution to provide for a statue of General Hackleman. Carried Melendy, of Steuben-To allow horse railroads to use country roads.

Lambert, of St. Joseph—Regulating government of cities and towns.

Beeker, of Tippecance—Providing for the appointment of students to Purdue by Pettit, of Wabash-Relating to civil ac-

tions.

Garriott, of Washington-Amending an act concerning the organization of county boards; concerning free gravel roads.

Blue, of Wells-Enabling county commissioners to/appoint township engineers.

McBeth, of White-Providing that cash surplus accumulations of insurance companies shall be added to capital stock; making it unlawful to shoot deer before 1900; making it unlawful to take fish except by the usual mode of angling.

Before adjourning the Speaker appointed Messes. Merritil Stetler, Barber, Stotsenberg and Pettit a committee to draft resberg and Pettit a committee to draft reolutions anent the death of Senator Thayer, A telegram was received from Representa-tive Andrew Jackson, stating that he had just had a narrow escape from injury in the Coatesville wreck. Mr. Willis intro-duced a resolution, declaring it the sense of the House that only a bare majority on junket committees make the trips to dif-ferent State institutions. This was tabled and the House adjourned till this morning,

WESTERN UNION PROTESTS. Don't Want to Be Compelled to Send Messages in Order of Filing.

Counsel and local representatives of the Western Union Telegraph Company were before the House judiciary committee, last night, to protest against a favorable report on Mr. Wilson's bill, which provides that the sender of a message shall be entitled to recover from a telegraph company the sum of \$100 for the fathure to properly transmit in the regular order of its turn a message filed in business hours. The representatives of the company stated that the passage of the bill would greatly cripple the business in the State and would make it necessary to cut off many of their smaller offices. Final action on the bill was postponed until the next meeting of The committee will recommend the in-definite postponement of Mr. Anison's but providing that the power of returning in-dictments for misdemeanors and crimes of a less degree than felonies be taken from

a less degree than recommendations will grand juries. Like recommendations will be made on Mr. Merritt's bill proposing an the law of provoke. Mr. be made on Mr. Merritt's bill proposing an amendment to the law of provoke, Mr. Nicholson's bill granting certain powers to justices of the peace, and Mr. Bohannon's bill making it unlawful to kill qualls until Jan. 1, 1900. The committee decided to place the seal of its approval on the bill introduced by Mr. Longweil, which changes introduced by Mr. Longwell, which changes the rule in relation to changes of venue in Circuit Courts, Mr. Gregg's bill in relation to appeals to the Supreme and Appellate courts, and Mr. McGeath's bill providing for the issue of county bonds for the construction of a courthouse where the building has begun. The judiciary committees of the House and Senate will hold a joint session at 4 o'clock this afternoon to hear the people of Seymour and Brownstown discuss the

proposition to give the voters of Jackson county a chance to say whether they want the county seat removed from Brownstown to Seymour. There will be a big delegation from each place here to-day.

#### THE CITY'S AFFAIRS.

Spirited Discussion Before the Legislative Committee Over Annexation. The committee on the affairs of the city of Indianapolis gave a hearing, last night, to the several interests that are demanding the attention of that committee. The principal matter discussed was the proposed annexation of Woodruff Place to the city. The amendment to the city charter that has been proposed, through which it is hoped to annex Woodruff, provides that the right of appeal to the Circuit Court, and if it is shown that less than 75 per cent. of the persons owning property in the place are remonstrating they shall be annexed. If it is shown that more than 75 per cent, are remonstrating, then they shall not be annexed, unless the court is satisfied that property is endangered, or that the prosperity of the place is being retarded. The residents of Woodruff Place are willing that this provision shall apply to unplatted territory, but they ask that in the case of platted territory a remonstrance signed by two-thirds of the voters residing in the territory shall be a bar to

annexation. Judge Ayres, speaking for the residents of Woodruff, submitted to the committee that if two-thirds of the residents were shown to be remonstrating against annexathem would involve hardship that the com-

mittee had no right to impose. J. R. Hussey, president of the Town Board of Woodruff, spoke at some length, giving reasons why the corporation should not be annexed. He recited briefly the history of the place, the tremendous outlay that had been made by the founder to render this an ornament to the city, and how the present residents were endeavoring to carry out the intentions of the man who carry out the intentions of the man who laid out Woodruff. After the place had gone to decay, he said the present owners had restored the fountains and the statuary, had put in electric lights, water and gas, and had taken steps for permanent and expensive street improvements. He showed that the tax rate was 5 cents greater than the city rate of taxation, and that the increased rate was going into a that the increased rate was going into a class of improvements that could not be maintained if the corporation was taken into the city. He showed that Woodruff had paid its share for the construction of had paid its share for the construction of the Clifford-avenue sewer, and claimed that it had borne its part of the cost of every improvement that could, with justice, be taxed to it. It was the only real park that the city had, and the city should be as much interested in maintaining the place ir its beauty as Woodruff was.

William H. English, who has been active in securing legislation that would make it possible to annex Woodruff, and he had a

double interest in the matter at issue for the reason that he was a resident of Indianapolis and he owned property in Woodruff. Here was a handful of people, representing eighty votes and 160 lots, around which the city had grown, who were shirking their share of the cost of police and a thousand benefits which they enjoyed. It was an unheard-of thing, he said, that a little tract of territory, around which the city had completely grown, should successfully resist the efforts that had been made to annex it and compel it to pay its just share of the expenses for the benefits accruing to it. The fact, he said, was that the residents of Woodruff were too exclusive to associate. it. The fact, he said, was that the residents of Woodruff were too exclusive to associate with the outside world. A blacksmith who owned a lot in Woodruff could not build a shop on it. He himself had been assessed \$2,500 for a sewer that Woodruff should have paid for, and all this in order that Woodruff might have its naked dogs and its naked women. These special and exclusive privileges were an outrage to the plain, common people, whose homes abutted Woodruff, and who had a different kind of women but a d—n sight better. If Woodruff woodruft, and who had a different kind of women but a d-n sight better. If Woodruff must have her naked dogs and women let her pay for them, but make her pay for her improvements, and if she can't pay for both, let her throw her dogs and wome into the river. It was an aggravation and an outrage that the tail should this long have wagged the dog, and Mr. English asked for an amendment that would enable the city to bring Woodruff to time. Mr. Ayres, in reply, stated that Mr. Eng-llsh made the mistake of thinking that he was the 125,000 of whom he had spoken, and that, so far as he was informed he did not believe that the people were clamoring for the annexation of Woodruff. The real secret of the earnestness with which Mr. secret of the earnestness with which Mr. English was advocating the annexation was that his property lying adjacent might be benefited and his interest was purely a selfish one. That the naked women should meet with the condemnation of Mr. English was also a source of amazement to Mr. Ayres, as he had never understood that his nerves were liable to a shock from a source of that description. The further consideration of the Woodruff bone of contention then went over and bone of contention then went over, and Judge Martindale discussed some of the other proposed amendments to the city

other proposed amendments to the city charter, devoting principal attention to that which provides that the cost of the main sewers and half of the intersections shall be paid for by the city. Judge Martindale said that all the proposed amendments to the charter, except one, were drawn by the city officials. That one was the amendment that proposed to raise salaries, and to this one he was opposed.

Hon. J. H. Claypool was before the committee and asked that the law by which it was proposed to legalize special annexations should except cases that were in litigation. The reason for this request is that Mr. Claypool has property annexed that is affected by the Bell-street sewer. Charles A. Bookwalter was also present to ask for a concession from established street-railway lines to suburban lines that desire to get into the city, all of which matters and things the committee took under advisement.

Committees Will Visit Purdue.

Committees Will Visit Purdue. The committee on agriculture and the committee on education asked and were granted permission by the Senate yesterday to visit Purdue University at Lafayette to-day. The committee on finance also asked leave of absence to go to Purdue, but it being shown that the absenting of so many members was likely to break a quorum the request was withdrawn.

School Legislative Committee Meets The legislative committee of the State Teachers' Association was in session yesterday in the office of Superintendent Vories. Several bills in which the school teachers of the State are interested were under consideration. The legislative committee of the State Board of Agriculture was also in session. The board will ask for authority to own more land.

They Favor the Nicholson Bill. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

THORNTOWN, Ind., Jan. 28 .- A mass meeting of citizens, called by the Law and Order League, was held at the Presbyterian Church yesterday afternoon. The Nicholson bill was enthusiastically indorsed, speeches in its favor being made by the various pastors, the superintendent of the city schools and others. A delegation consist-ing of Dr. R. E. Pretlow, president of the league; Dr. J. M. Boyd and Mr. W. O. Mc-Kerns was appointed to present a petition favoring the bill and to urge its passage. Sentiment here is all in favor of the bill, and especially in favor of the section giving localities the power to free themselves the saloon through petition. The W. C. T. U. petition for scientific temperance education was also unanimously indorsed.

Action at Winchester.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. WINCHESTER, Ind., Jan. 28 .- At a mass meeting of the citizens of this city, to-day, a resolution was offered by the city Mayor, W. S. Diggs, and unanimously adopted, Indorsing the Nicholson bill.

WESTFIELD, Ind., Jan. 28.—A meeting of citizens of Westfield and vicinity was called at the M. E. Church yesterday afternoon. There were about one hundred present, onethird of whom were voters. Great interest was shown by members of all the political parties, and resolutions were unanimously adopted favoring the passage by the Legislature of the Nicholson bill.

FAIRMOUNT, Ind., Jan. 28.—A union service of all the six churches of this place was held last night and was attended by more than eight hundred persons. The Nicholson bill, now before the Legislature, was read and discussed, and enthusiastically indorsed. Many voters present signed petitions asking and urging the Legislature to pass the bill.

Legislative Notes. The reformatory committee of the House will go to Plainfield to-day. The Sheridan Relief Corps is selling tickets for an entertainment, Thursday night

The member selling the most tickets is to receive a watch. The State Board of Charities, yesterday, received and distributed among the legis-lators printed copies of its annual report, which was filed with the Governor six weeks ago.

The insurance committee of the House will hold an open meeting next Thursday evening to give all those who have griev-ances against insurance companies opportunity to air their complaints.

A bill introduced by Mr. Van Arsdel yesterday concerning dog taxes will affect the dog fund in this city. As it is now dog licenses are used largely for the benefit of Center township outside of Indianapolis. Clerk Brown, of the House, has appointed the following clerks: Engrossing, J. O. Lambert, of Henry; Jonce Monyhan, of Orange; H. C. Daugherty, of Tippecanoe, Enrolling clerks: D. F. Ball, of Howard; Walter Thomas, of Hendricks, and Sydney Monk, of Clay.

Mr. Merritt's labor commission bill provides that a board of two electors shall be appointed to investigate the causes of the recent labor strikes and report suggestions to prevent further occurrences.

The board in investigating local trouble that may come up hereafter is to operate with the judge of the Circuit Court of the county in which the trouble occurs.

CITY NEWS NOTES.

The date of the midwinter High-school Plymouth Church. Mary Ryan, an inmate of the House of the Good Shepherd, escaped yesterday, leaving with no outer wrap on. The rumor that Charles E. Wilson will State Daily is denied, but not by Mr. Wilson

The Relief Corps of Phil H. Sheridan Post alleges that their ex-treasurer, Mrs. Nannie Fontius, now of Detroit, failed to account for \$86 of the corps' funds. J. A. Adkisson, who has been an inmate of the county poor farm for a year, died at that place, yesterday, of scrofula. Mr. Adkisson was sixty-two years old, and was at one time a member of the Marion coun-

ty bar. He leaves a wife. The Senate committee on education held a meeting yesterday afternoon and decided to recommend for passage Senator McLean's bill providing that a diploma from the Terre Haute State Normal shall entitle the holder to a license to teach in the common schools of the State without an examina

A horse driven by Charles Litteral, living south of the city, ran away last Friday afternoon as Mr. Litteral and two children were driving along the Mooresville pike. The horse plunged down an embankment at one end of the Eagle creek bridge, but, fortunately, none of the oc-cupants were hurt, although the wagon was splintered. Leg Broken by a Horse's Kick.

Christian Hungerberg, one of the Pabst Brewing Company drivers, was kicked on the leg by one of his horses yesterday while near the Washington-street bridge over White river. His leg was broken in two places. He was removed to St. Vin-cent's Hospital.

Gas Supply Was Short. There were more complaints yesterday about the weak gas than any day yet. The South Side is the greatest sufferer in the city, and West Indianapolis, as usual is

West Indianapolis the majority of the mix-ers have been removed in order to get elouth gas with which to cook. A sub-scription paper is being circulated to raise money with which to employ lawyers to enter damage suits against the gas comenter damage suits against the gas com-pany for failure to fulfill its contract and obtaining money under false pretenses.

An Abusive Young Man. Patrolman Meyerpeter found a young rann near the Union Station, last night, about 8 o'clock, who was causing considrable disturbance because, he said, bad been sold a railroad ticket to St. Jouls which, he asserted, was not good, the had been in McConney's clgar store, trying to compel them to give him the amount which he had paid for his ticket. When asked his name by the officers he refused to talk and then abused the officer until the wagon was called and he was

Installation of a Pastor. The Olive Branch Synod, of the English Lutheran Church, met, yesterday afternoon, at the First English Lutheran Church, corner of Walnut and Pennsylvania streets. There was a large attendance of the ministers of the denomination in the State. The congregation was present in large numbers, last night, at the installation of their new pastor, Rev. David L. McKenzie. The sermon was preached by McKenzie. The sermon was preached by Rev. Dr. Samuel H. Ort, president of Wit-tenberg College.

Mrs. Emily Lowry Seriously III. Mrs. Emily M. Lowry, widow of Major John A. Lowry, is lying at the point of death at the residence of her grandson, W. W. Lowry, No. 40 Woodruff Place. Mrs. Lowry has been a resident of Indiana for fifty-five years. She was an intimate friend of the wife of President Lincoln, and is a daughter of Professor Moorecraft, of Cincipanti who many years. a daughter of Professor Moorecraft, of Cincinnati, who many years ago was as-sociated with Henry Ward Beecher as a teacher in that city.

Abe Wolf Badly Injured.

Abe Wolf slipped on the ice at the corner of Washington street and Virginia avenue, last night, and was seriously hurt. He was found lying unconscious on the sidewalk by patrolmen Dilts and Griffen and an am-bulance called. Mr. Wolf was removed to his home, at No. 283 East New York street, and Dr. Maxwell called to attend him. It could not be learned to what extent he was injured as, up to a late hour, he was still

Old Auctioneer Dead. John Gustin died at his home, 91 Pleasant street, Sunday night. He had been troubled with inflammation of the bladder, Mr. Gustin was associated with G. W. McCurdy in the auctioneering business for many years. A wife and two children survive

ELECTROCUTED AT SING SING. David Hampton Put to Death for the

Murder of a Woman.

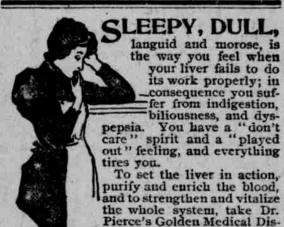
SING SING, N. Y., Jan. 28 .- David Hampton, colored, suffered death in the electric chair in the State prison to-day. Within three minutes and thirteen seconds after he entered the death house, bearing a crucifix and repeating a prayer, he was strapped into the chair and the current turned on. But one shock was given, and Hampton was pronounced dead in fifty-seven seconds. The autopsy showed that Hampton had died instantly. The body was not burned or marked, and there were no un-

usual symptoms.

Hampton's crime was the murder of Mrs. Annetta Aherns, a widow of seventy years, in her apartments in West Fifty-fourth street on the night of Dec. 29, 1892. Hampton and his wife had at one time boarded with Mrs. Aherns, who owned the building in which she lived. She had accumu lated money by renting out rooms, but, belated money by renting out rooms, but, being of a miserly disposition, she kept most of her money in a cotton bag under the bed. Hampton knew this, and one morning stole \$85 and fled from the house with his wife. Mrs. Aherns followed him and demanded that he return the money. Hampton was heard to say that if the old lady did not stop bothering him he would cut her throat. On Dec. 30, 1892, Mrs. Aherns was found in her bedroom with her throat cut from ear to ear. On a wash stand near the bed was a bread knife and a finger stall which he. a bread knife and a finger stall which be a bread knife and a linger stall which belonged to the murderer. This was all the
clew the policemen had to work on. The
knife was identified as one Hampton had
stolen from a boarding house kept by Mrs.
Josephine Johnson. The morning after the
murder Hampton went to Mrs. Johnson's
house and showed her a roll of bank bills
and gold. The money was in a white cotton bag like the one in which the dead
woman kept her money. Next day he met woman kept her money. Next day he met Joseph Papsico and told him he would pay his expenses if he would accompany him to Newark. He showed Papsico a roll of bills and the gold. The two men went to Newark, where Hampton purchased a complete outfit of clothing. He then disappeared and was arrested on Feb. 16. When the murder was committed Hampton had a sore finger and wore a finger stall on the wounded finger. He was placed on trial for the murder and found guilty and sentenced to be executed last year, but his case was taken to the Court of Appeals, and when the decision was handed down sustaining the action of the lower court he was sentenced to die today. tenced to die to-day.

Mary Anderson Navarro III. NEW YORK, Jan. 28.-Mary Anderson very ill at Brighton, England, according to a letter received from that place to-day by Rudolph Aronson, of the Casino. The letter says: "Mary Anderson, who has just had a very serious illness, is here (Brighton), being wheeled up and down the promenade in a bath chair. She is amazingly changed, all the sylph-like indications of her once pretty figure and the somewhat ethereal face having some and somewhat ethereal face having gone, and in place of this we have a matronly woman, with a plump dairy maid's cheeks. She is followed about by Navarro, who looks

A Woman Gets \$20,000 Damages. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 28.-Mrs. Sarah Spencer, whose case against the Iron Mountain road has been on trial in the United States Court the past week, tained a verdict this morning for \$20,000. Mrs. Spencer is a resident of San Francisco, and sued the Iron Mountain company for \$100,000 for damages suffered wreck at Texarkana on May 24, 1893.



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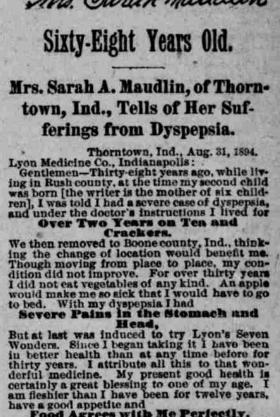
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COE-Orris K. Coe, Jan. 28, at 1:30 a. m., aged seventy-nine years. Funeral at chapel of First Presbyterian Church, Wednesday, Jan. 30, at 10 a. m. SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MASONIC—Oriental Lodge, No. 500, F. and A. M.; special meeting this (Tuesday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock, for work in the BDWARD D. MOORE, W. M. HOWARD KIMBALL, Secretary.

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